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J. M. Williams Elected

J. M. Williams was re-elected to the Village Council on Monday, having a majority of 29 over his opponent Mel Patmore. The vote was as follows:

J. M. Williams 49

Mel Patmore 20

The vote was the heaviest polled in many years.

J. M. Williams, C. Aamussen, R. Nichol will comprise the Council for 1933.

Professor W. L. Carlyle

Board of Trade Speaker

Luncheon February 20th.

The postponed Board of Trade luncheon will be held in the U. F. A. hall on Monday evening Feb. 20 at 6.45. Professor Carlyle of the E. P. Ranch, will be the speaker.

The Entertainment Committee have arranged for a special program of vocal and instrumental selections during the evening.

The public are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

Movement for Cheese Factory in Crossfield

The Public Affairs Committee of the Board of Trade are in communication with a cheese maker who is interested in starting a cheese factory in Crossfield.

At the invitation of the committee, Mr. Webster was in town on Monday last, looking further into the proposition, and in the near future is expected to make a canvas amongst the farmers of the district to find out if they will be interested enough to warrant starting a factory here.

A. Stevens Head of Native Sons' and Daughters' Assn.

At a well attended meeting of native sons and daughters held on Saturday it was decided to go ahead with organizing the Crossfield Native Sons' and Daughters' Association. The following officers were elected :

A. Stevens, President.

Miss Margaret Murdoch,

Vice-President.

Miss Stella Gordon, Secretary.

The first annual banquet and dance will be held in the U. F. A. hall on Monday, Feb. 27th.

The following committees were appointed :

Membership Committee—Lewis

Lennon, Herb Stewart, Evan Gordon.

Banquet Committee—S. Miller,

L. Pullan, Miss Helen Willis.

Entertainment Committee—Miss

Anne Robertson, Miss Margaret

Robertson, Miss Alice Collicutt.

Dance Committee—A. High,

W. Shortt, Miss Margaret Murdoch.

Annual Meeting M. D. of Rosebud Saturday

The annual meeting of the electors of the Municipal District of Rosebud, will be held in the U. F. A. hall on Saturday, February 18, commencing at one o'clock. The Returning Officer will receive nominations of candidates for the office of Councillors from three o'clock to four p. m.

School Fair Assured

The following schools are in the School Fair Association again:

Greenwood

West Hope

Onsil

Tany-Bryn

Sunshine

Elba

Inverla

Crossfield

McPherson Coulee

Will Schools that wish to join please notify the Secretary as soon as possible.

Community Sale

The annual Crossfield Community Sale will be held at an early date. List your livestock, implements, furniture, etc. with Thos. Tredaway.

COMEDY-DRAMA WED., FEBRUARY 22

The Elks' Dramatic Society, Calgary, under the management of Fred Pasche, will stage the comedy-drama, "The Man Who Made God" at the U. F. A. Hall Crossfield, February 22, under the auspices of the Anglican Vestry. This production was staged in Calgary by this organization and was well received. Many well known artists are cast in the leading roles, including Betty Brackman, Edith Fountain, Bessie Welch, Ronald Brackman, James H. Welch, H. Stewart Currie, Tommy Hammah, J. Jack and T. Halliday.

Modern in conception the drama portrays events in the life of a young engineer and his attempt to build a bridge across an almost impossible gorge.

Admission: Adults 25c, children 15c. Reserved seats 10c extra. Seats on sale at McClelland's Drug Store.

Calf Club Meeting

Thursday, February 23

A meeting to organize a Calf Club will be held in the Town Hall on Thursday, February 23 at 1:30 p. m. Those who wish to join should attend this meeting or send in their names to H. May.

To date the following have promised to let either their boy or girl join the Club:

G. Oensl, T. Mair, G. Riddell, J. Harrison, W. Russell, W. Walroth, C. Jones, G. Murdoch, A. Sackett, J. Havens, G. Leask, J. Lemon, Bert Lilley.

Local Bonspiel

Play in the local bonspiel got underway on Saturday last and is expected that the finals in both events, Craft Challenge and Consolation will be played on Saturday night of this week.

There rinks have been so arranged and are evenly balanced and as a result some very close games have been played.

There are two sets of prizes in each event. Prizes are on display in the Crossfield office window.

GRAND CHALLENGE

Glen Williams has reached the finals in this event, and will play the winner of the Purvis-Amery game on Saturday night.

Bonspiel Results

Amery 13, Winning 6

G. Purvis 13, McRoy 8

J. M. Williams 12, McMillan 6

Glen Williams 12, McMillan 6

Amery 9, Meyers 8 (13 ends)

Glen Williams 16, J. Williams 10

Consolation

Winning, Meyers, McRoy, McMillan and Stralo are in this event, and the first game will be played tonight (Thursday.)

PERSONNEL OF RINKS

H. Johnson, V. S. Reid, Hall McCaskill, Ed Meyers, skip.

L. Clurismas, G. McCaskill, Carl Becker, C. H. McMillan, skip.

Louis Becker, N. Johnson, W. Pogue, J. L. McRoy, skip.

E. Bills, T. O. Green, Dr. McClelland, Wm. Stralo, skip.

Rev. H. Young, J. H. Reeves, skip.

F. T. Baker, G. Purvis, skip.

R. Nichol, W. D. McCool, Robt. Smart, Glen Williams, skip.

A. Heywood, R. J. Hendry, T. Goldie, J. Williams, skip.

Chas. Purvis, T. Mair, Harry McMillan, J. P. Winning, skip.

Chas. Fox, L. Overby, Dr. Whilliams, R. T. Amey, skip.

Curlers Visit High River

Two rinks of local curlers paid a return visit to High River on Wednesday, and engaged the curlers of that town in four friendly games. The curlers were royally entertained and report a wonderful time.

Those making the trip were: Ed Meyers, C. H. McMillan, L. J. McRoy, J. M. Williams, F. T. Baker, R. T. Nichol, A. Cruckshank, Dr. McClelland, L. Overby, Chas. MacPaden and John Walker.

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The Way Out.

The whole world is looking for a way out of the terribly complicated financial and economic mess into which it has been plunged as a direct result of the Great War. Whatever may be the contributory causes to the intensity and widespread character of the present depression, the main root cause of the depression was the war and the terms stipulated in the peace treaties. This is now universally recognized. No one seeks to deny it unless they have some particular end to serve by attributing the world's present troubles to something else.

One of the results of the Great War, and the treaties by which it was ended, has been the development of an intensely narrow nationalism, which, in turn, has led to the adoption of those policies which today are strangling the trade of the world and causing all nations to seek ways and means of making themselves self-contained economic units. It is this which has caused the break-down of monetary systems and adoption of uneconomic policies by which all nations are endeavoring to produce both primary and manufactured products which are not natural to their particular countries. It is one of the outcomes of the war that every nation is desirous of promoting exports while at the same time shutting out imports—an undertaking which even the dullest schoolboy understands to be impossible.

More and more, thinking men and women are coming to realize that there are only two ways whereby the world can be brought out of the impasse in which it now finds itself. One is through the instrumentality of another great war; the other is by the nations of the world getting together in conference to undo as far as may be possible the blunders made following the last war and to restore the institutions which have been, and still are, persisted in practically all nations.

There may be some inhuman creatures who would welcome the first way out, but they are few and far between. Another war would create a huge demand for products and commodities of all kinds, with a consequent enormous increase in prices, because it must be admitted that war, more than any other agency, creates a large demand for almost everything, except pure luxuries. But apart from the horrors of war, the final result would be—as it always has been throughout history—the development of another depression surpassing in its intensity and duration even the one through which we are now passing. War would be no cure for our financial and economic ills; it would merely temporarily raise the depression, only to plunge us back into it in more intensified form.

God forbid there should be another war, but there will be unless the nations of the world come to their senses, get together in conference, abandon their narrow nationalisms, and work together in unison for the common good of all, instead of at cross purposes, each seeking to advance itself at the expense of the others.

Yet there are people today so utterly blind or selfish that they go about decrying every effort that is put forth to bring the nations into conference and, let us hope, ultimate agreement and co-operation. These people take the position that conferences are useless; they scoff at them; they predict failure for each and every one of them in advance of their meeting. But if the world's salvation is not to be found through the medium of conferences, then its final destruction will be brought about by war, because inevitably, financial and economic warfare will be waged. The nations are now engaged—will, unless stopped, and in physical war.

These people point to the many conferences already held, and they ask: "What good has come out of them?" They say the Lausanne Conference was a failure, yet at that conference the nations of Europe agreed to cut German reparations down from many billions of dollars to a few hundreds of millions. True, that decision is dependent upon further action yet to be taken, but it was a long step forward toward a solution of the war reparations and war debts problem. The same people say the Ottawa Economic Conference was a failure. Well, that depends upon a person's viewpoint. Some very able statesmen and publicists in many countries regard it as a successful beginning to other policies to be adopted; whereas it is true, consider that mistakes were made, but it did accomplish the important correction of freeing trade from the artificial restrictions now imposed upon it.

Another world conference is to be held this year, called specifically to deal with world financial and economic problems. All the principal nations of the world will be represented. But already these prophets of despair are going about telling people that it will prove a failure. If it is, it will be time enough to say so after the event, but no good only comes from the right in denouncing it in advance. People who adopt such an attitude are not patriots nor friends of their fellow men, but trouble-making busybodies having some ulterior purpose to serve.

No conference can accomplish all that everybody expects of it or desires it should accomplish. Any conference, if it is to achieve anything, must proceed along the path of compromise. There must be give and take all round. A spirit of co-operation rather than antagonism must be in evidence. Even the smallest thing accomplished is so much gain, and every such gain opens the only way for further gains, just as every loss leads to other and greater losses.

Those who decry and condemn world conferences are, in fact, rejecting the only alternative that was a means of settling differences between nations. There are more conferences now than ever in the world's history. Why? Because the real and far-seeing leaders of world thought are striving as never before to prevent war. In past ages war resulted because the nations did not try to get together and settle their differences amicably; today, if they do not do so now, war will be the only alternative, the inevitable result.

Those who go about decrying, criticizing, and condemning such conferences in advance are nothing more nor less than war-mongers, advocates of international strife and revolution, apostles of the doctrine of physical force, rather than orderly methods of compromise and evolution, slow though it may sometimes be, whereby reform is achieved and mankind moves forward to better things.

Launched the "Normandie"

When the "Normandie," the world's largest liner, was launched at St. Nazaire, France, recently, a ton of soap, two and one-half tons of lard and 43 tons of tallow were needed to grease the ways. Six hundred men assisted in the launching. The President of France attended, and his wife, Mme. Lebrun, broke the bottle of champagne over the bow.

Liked His Job

After a trial had been in progress for three hours a jurymen in the King's Bench Division of London courts told Justice Ashton that he was very deaf and had not heard a word. After a consultation with the attorneys the Judge continued the hearing with a jury of eleven. "I am sorry to go because I liked the job," said the jurymen as he left the box.

Nervous—Could Not Sleep Tired Out All The Time

Mrs. George Scilhauer, Nursingwark, N.B., writes:—"I was so very nervous I could not sleep at night, and felt tired out all the time. A neighbor told me about Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, and as she was using them at the time she gave me some to try. I found they were doing me so much good I procured two boxes and they proved of wonderful help to me."

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Has Seen Canada Grow

Montreal Woman Emigrated From England 87 Years Ago

Five years before Queen Victoria became Queen of England, Sarah Davis was born in London, England. Eighty-two years ago—the year Abraham Lincoln was assassinated, she came to Canada where she has remained ever since.

Mrs. Ryder, as she now is, celebrated her 100th birthday, at her home in Montreal. Eyes and prism the sunlight streaming on her white hair—hair that needs no lace cap to hide the wear of time—Mrs. Ryder told of the Canada of 1865.

"I expected Canada would be very bushy," she said, "and it was! We lived in Iberville for nearly 50 years and all my children were born there. Those were good days. In winter we had long sleigh drives and in summer we went over the country roads were many more country, real country in our horse-drawn buggy. There are roads then . . . Iberville and the surrounding country is very different now. And the winters were ever so much colder."

Mrs. Ryder does not worry about her meals. "She ate three good meals a day," her daughter said, "and had a glass of ale every night before she goes to bed."

The old lady is not out of sympathy with the present generation. "I like to see the girls enjoying themselves," she said, "but I don't think mothers should allow them to stay out all hours of the night as if they weren't interested in them."

Plan Is Developing

Sea-Air Service Would Make At Galway, Ireland, Necessary

A combined sea and air passenger service, which would reduce the travelling time between New York and London to three and a half days, has attracted the interest of influential New York bankers.

The project calls for establishment of a large base at Galway, on the west coast of Ireland, for aeroplanes operating in conjunction with fast trans-Atlantic liners and for a modern, well-equipped harbour to accommodate the liners themselves.

C. H. Clendening, president of the Irish Transatlantic Corporation, Ltd., which is developing the scheme, is to confer with New York bankers, who have indicated their willingness to back the project. Dutch and Canadian interests, it is learned, also are watching the development closely.

Galway is ideally situated for the plan. A full day or more could be saved in the New York-London route now if the fast boats put in there and the passengers made the rest of the trip by air.

The scheme already is so far advanced that it has drawn the interest of the Canadian, British, and Dutch governments, which see in it immense commercial and other possibilities.

Ceylon Wants Throne Back

Has Been At Windsor Castle For Over Hundred Years

A request that the ancient throne of the Kandyans kings, which has been at Windsor Castle for more than 100 years, should be returned to Ceylon, its traditional home, is being made by the Ceylon state council to the secretary of state for the colonies.

The throne was used by British sovereigns at the investiture of knights of the Garter until 1924, when it was removed by the King's command, from the throne room to the grand vestibule because it was considered out of keeping with the decorative scheme.

The throne, which is an imposing structure of silver gilt supporting dragons of cut crystal with amethyst eyes, is ornamented with floral decorations. The plating is set with gems.

A Delicate Operation

Doctor Stops Woman's Heart and Removes Blood Clot

Dr. Clarence Crawford, of Stockholm, Sweden, announced a successful operation on a woman patient whose heart he stopped for four minutes while he removed a blood clot from the organ.

The patient regained her health. It was claimed to have been the eighth such operation in medical history three of which were by Dr. Crawford. Two others were in Sweden and three in Berlin.

Merchandise exports from Japan in November were valued at twice those of the corresponding month of 1931.

Water is the chief constituent of all living things.

Win Progress Prize

Mennonite Farmers Given Second Award In C.N.R. Competition

The community of Hanover, centering on the town of Steinbach, east of Winnipeg, was awarded first prize in the Canadian National Railways community progress competition for communities of European origin in Manitoba, according to information received from Dr. W. J. Black, director of colonization and agriculture, for the company. This is the third year's operation of these competitions.

The first prize community in Manitoba consists of six school districts, centering on the town of Steinbach. This is a Mennonite settlement, started more than 50 years ago. In the first few years of settlement they had no capital for equipment, but gradually established themselves as farmers through their own initiative and endeavor. Today this community is one of the finest in an agricultural standpoint in Manitoba.

The board of judges, composed of Principal John Mackay, Manitoba College; Mrs. David Watt, Birtle, and Brother Joseph Fink, principal of Provencher school, awarded second place to Vito, a Ukrainian community in south-central Manitoba, and third place to Sifton, which comprises the north half of the Dauphin municipality, a Ukrainian community north of the town of Dauphin.

History As Understood

Small Wonder Answer Of One Student Started Teacher

The person who told this story swears it actually happened. The young students were answering an oral quiz on history. The teacher asked, "Who was Anne Boleyn?" Answered a bright-eyed lad, "A fat iron." He had to repeat his answer several times before the startled teacher understood. Then she demanded his reason for making such a peculiar statement. "It says so in the book," he said, and leafed through the history until he struck the paragraph that proved his point. "Here you are," he said, and triumphantly displayed the following: "Henry VIII, pressed his suit with Anne Boleyn."

A Privileged Character

Dog's Name Appears In Colorado Fraternity House Directory

Hedge Peter is listed in the University of Colorado student directory. His address is the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity house.

Hedge Peter is a police dog and the fraternity mascot. When the Sig Alpha officers were preparing their pledge list for the school directory, the name of Hedge Peter was slipped into the list and as a result Hedge gets his mail at the Sig Alpha house.

"He's the most obedient pledge we have," said Gilbert Perkins, president of the fraternity.

Delicacy From China

Ten-Year-Old Egg Exhibited At "Chinese Evening" In Boston

An exhibition of curios including a ten-year-old egg which was brought from China by Mrs. H. W. Dunning of Brooklyn, featured in Jacob Sheeler's "Chinese evening," conducted in Jacob Sheeler by the Boston University Women's Department.

The egg was preserved according to Chinese custom in quicklime, which makes it very hard-boiled. Eggs of this sort are considered a delicacy in China, according to Mrs. Dunning.

Entirely Trustworthy

"I'm giving you a week's notice," said the maid.

"Why, Jane," replied the mistress, "you may already have a fortnight, and I quite understand with you; whatever do you want to leave for?"

"Well, you see," said Jane, "I find as you don't trust me."

"Why, my dear girl," replied the lady, "if you gave me the keys of the master's desk, the sideboard and my jewel-case."

"Yes," snapped Jane, "but they don't fit."

French critics regard Edgar Allan Poe as the father of the short story.

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Extraordinary Discovery

Ordinary Magnet Said To Extract Cells From Body

Discovery that an ordinary magnet can be used to obtain from the organs where they live the immensely important cells believed to be responsible for the immunity of animals to disease, is announced by two workers of the Rockefeller Institute of Medical Research, at New York.

Harmless particles of highly-magnetic iron are introduced into the body in such a manner that the pricked cells pick up the metal and gravitate like lodestones to the magnet. It has been impossible heretofore to separate them from the obscuring masses of millions of other body cells. Unharmful by their iron meal, they are raised "in vitro," that is, they continue to live and grow in glass dishes. There they are now under observation at the institute for learning more about their functions.

A New Motor Fuel

Substitute For Gasoline Developed In Ireland Proving Success

The new creosote oil substitute for gasoline which was discovered and developed by the municipal gas department of Belfast, Ireland, is proving a success, and is gaining recognition in other parts of the world. For the last 15 months 12 Belfast municipal busses on different routes have used the new fuel with great success according to reports. More of these vehicles are to be converted to use of the fuel at once, and a five-year-plan for changing all busses has been outlined. J. D. Smith, the gas works manager, has, in response to inquiries sent the formula to all parts of the world.

Professor Sees New Age

Says People Now Willing To Sacrifice For Worthy Ende

The end of the present age of cynicism, which he sees as an aftermath of the world war, is envisioned by Dr. Jesse Holmes, professor of philosophy at Swarthmore College, Philadelphia.

"We have passed through three ages," he said. "The age of softness was followed by the age of sentimentalism. Since the war cynicism has been the ruling spirit. Now I believe we are entering upon an age of genuine faith and willingness to sacrifice for great and worthy ends."

Good Training For Children

Zoo In Dresden, Germany, Has Perfect City In Miniature

A miniature city for children is contained in the grounds of the Dresden, Germany, Zoo. It has a town hall, railway station, traffic signals and so on. The idea of the authorities in providing this marvelous playground for the children was to train their minds in city government, and to give them some idea of the questions and problems that must arise.

By an ancient law churches built on Crown lands in Britain may not ring bells.

Increased Subsidies

Provinces To Receive More On Account Of Recent Census

On the basis of the recent census, increases in subsidies are being granted to Ontario, Quebec, New Brunswick, Manitoba, Alberta, British Columbia, and Saskatchewan. Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, by reason of the decrease in population in these two provinces will not be included in the increases. Prince Edward Island remains at its former rate; while the subsidy for Nova Scotia will be decreased.

Main estimates tabulated in the House of Commons show the payments to be made for the coming year as compared with 1932-33. The following is the schedule:

	1932-33	1932-33
Ontario . . .	\$2,941,424	\$2,642,611
Quebec . . .	2,592,013	2,566,419
Nova Scotia . . .	753,048	661,841
New Brunswick . . .	630,040	660,765
Manitoba . . .	1,694,195	1,682,084
B.C. . . .	874,564	738,816
P.E.I. . . .	381,931	381,931
Alberta . . .	1,743,159	1,670,335
Saskatchewan . . .	2,112,803	2,063,205

What Science Finds

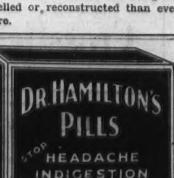
Interesting Facts Adduced By Scientific Investigation

The elevation of old men to high political office is a mistake. Caterpillars can hear. Man hasn't domesticated a single plant of high dietary value since the dawn of history. Newborn infants are not dead; they begin to have life when only a few hours old. The first musical instrument was a flute. Bobbed hair is a great mistake. Bats have the homing instinct. Moles vibrate a trillion times a second. Indians of the pre-Inca era filled their teeth with gold and the Chinese of forty-five centuries ago discussed the theory of evolution and knew of the circulation of blood. Men have a greater passion for tearing things apart than do apes.—New York Sun.

Had Effect Of Standstill

John Phillips, an aviator, had Manhattan's sky watchers wondering recently when he made his plane apparently stand still for twenty minutes. He explained the trick by saying he nosed the plane into a gale of 70 miles an hour velocity. By keeping his ship at the same speed the effect was a standstill.

More cities in China are being remodelled or reconstructed than ever before.



W. N. U. 1931

National Radium Commission Chairman Draws Attention To Dangerous Nature Of Substance

Radium, the rarest and costliest of minerals, commonly regarded as a valuable servant of surgery in the fight against cancer, can be the most lethal and dangerous of poisons in the hands of the unscrupulous and the ignorant.

In making this statement to a conference of experts, Vice-Chairman Lee of Farsham, chairman of the national radium commission, drew a startling picture of the potentialities for evil if the substance were put to a criminal use, says a London newspaper.

"A tiny flask containing one grammie," he declared, "would be sufficient to murder your neighbor sleeping on the other side of the wall of a semi-detached house, without arousing suspicion in the minds of his family or the police."

Urging strict government control of radium, Lord Lee gave alarming examples of the terrible effects of certain patent remedies and cosmetics containing radio-active substances, some of which, he stated, were so deadly that their preparation or sale should be "sternly suppressed."

Lord Lee's pronouncement was made while delivering the Silvius Thompson lecture to the conference of the British Institute of Radiology at Central Hall, Westminster.

With there was doubt about the curative value of radium, he declared, there was also about its palliative effect and its power to relieve pain. On that ground it could claim to be of benefit to mankind. Its greatest foes were ignorance and overconfidence.

It was the conviction of the national radium commission that "radium is far too dangerous a substance to be let loose upon mankind. It is the most lethal and dangerous of poisons. It should be prohibited from importation or sale, except under special license."

Under existing conditions the extreme costliness of radium was perhaps the public's best safeguard. At £15,000 a gramme there was not much risk of its becoming a "best seller."

As an example of the perils of carelessness in the use of radium, Lord Lee described the case of the New Jersey girls who while painting luminous watch dials with a preparation containing minute quantities of radium or mesothorium, pointed the brushes at intervals with their tongues.

In many cases the consequences did not become apparent until more than four years after the girls had left their employment.

"How many girls perished as a result of this carelessness is not accurately known," added Lord Lee, "but 18 have certainly died and some 30 more are regarded as doomed."

Referring to patent remedies, cosmetic preparations and the like, containing or professing to contain radium or radio-active substances, Lord Lee stated that in some cases these were harmless. They were merely fraudulent because they contained no radium at all, or only a negligible trace.

On the other hand some commercial preparations containing radium were so potentially deadly that their preparation or sale should be sternly suppressed by law and even made a criminal offence.

"I refer particularly," said Lord Lee went on, "to the so-called 'radium water.' This deadly beverage really contains an appreciable amount of radium, and its first effect is undoubtedly agreeable and stimulating."

"So much so that one of its prominent victims, a Pittsburgh iron-master and an amateur golf champion, not only drank large quantities himself, because it seemed to 'improve his game,' but being wealthy and generous he sent cases of it as gifts to his sporting friends. What became of them I do not know, but he himself died recently from neoplasia of the jaw, acute anemia and abscess of the brain."

The autopsy revealed the largest amount of radium ever found in a human body—some thirty micrograms, enough to kill three men or women.

This was perhaps an extreme case, but a credible one in this country is being funded with advertisements of quick "radium cures." "None of these, I am informed, can have the slightest therapeutic value, and to such extent, if any, as they

contain radium they must be harmful and potentially dangerous."

"In my view the preparation or sale of radio-active preparations designed for either internal or external use should be absolutely prohibited."

A New Narcotic

Believed To Be More Effective Than Morphine, and Non-Habit Forming

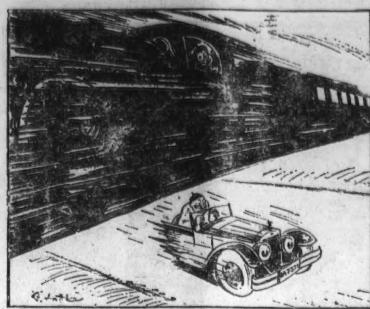
Medical science is expected to announce soon the perfection of a narcotic drug which will be more effective in relieving pain than morphine or heroin. This sedative—dilaudid—is now being studied in the United States Public Health Service and leading clinics throughout the nation.

German and Swiss scientists already have made remarkable claims for dilaudid. Several high-ranking German doctors assert that dilaudid is not habit-forming.

Recent experiments at the Mayo Brothers clinic are understood to have shown that dilaudid is especially valuable in obstetrics, cancer and intestinal treatments.

A report received by Harry J. Angrillier, Commissioner of the Federal Bureau of Narcotics, from the Mayo clinic stated that "dilaudid in one-sixth the dose of morphine proves as effective."

Dilaudid is a cousin of heroin. Chemically it is di-hydromorphine hydrochloride.



"Heavens! What a noise the old bus is making!"—Der Lustige Sachse.

Island Less Productive

Native Of Tristan da Cunha Cannot Even Grow Potatoes

Britain's most lonely outpost, the Island of Tristan da Cunha, in the South Atlantic Ocean, refuses now to yield to its 162 inhabitants even potatoes. The barren island used to produce potatoes, but, according to Rev. A. G. Partridge, missionary and former governor of the island, who returned to London, the production of potatoes has almost ceased.

Mr. Partridge was recently on furlough from the island but returned somewhat hurriedly under the authority of the British Government with the status of governor because a Brazilian scientific expedition was expected to visit the island. The expedition was abandoned, however, but in the meantime Mr. Partridge officially appointed one inhabitant as chief of the island.

Mr. Partridge was given a busy time when a Japanese war ship called at the island. He married three couples, christened a baby, packed his kit and sailed away with the ship within three hours of its arrival. It will be at least a year before another ship calls and it is learned how the first native governor is conducting his duties.

While Mr. Partridge was on the island the new chief ordered the latest woman on the island to stand on stocks constructed of a soap box.

Could Take Her Choice

But Admirer Of Famous Pianist Was Due For Disappointment

Paderewski has, like many another nobility, undergone the ordeal of complying with autograph hunters demands for signatures. But the famous pianist, if we may judge by what is said to have happened on one occasion, draws the line at the distribution of mementoes in the shape of samples of his beautiful hair, albeit gifted by nature with a profusion of that article.

It was when he was visiting America that a well-known lady who had the delicacy to hand through the window of his private car a gaudy package, winding up with a note for "a lock of hair." It is alleged that Paderewski's secretary replied as follows: "You fail to specify whose hair you desire. M. Paderewski, therefore, in order to avoid disappointment has secured for you some fine specimens from his manager, secretary, valet, waiter, two cooks, and the cat."

BRITISH HOSPITAL GETS PRECIOUS RADIUM



Lord Leconfield, Lord Lieutenant of Sussex, England (left), presents to the Royal West Sussex Hospital, Chichester, 76 milligrams of radium, on behalf of the British Empire Cancer Campaign. The value of the radium is approximately \$4,000. The gentleman receiving the gift is the Mayor of Chichester.

Lady Member Of French Secret Service Had Record of Notable Accomplishments During War

Over Hundred Trains Daily

Electric Service Between London and Brighton Cost £2,750,000

The new electrified service from London to Brighton, Hove, Shoreham, and Worthing—six trains an hour each way and refreshments all the time was opened on a recent morning by the Lord Mayor of London, Sir Percy Greenaway.

And his party, accompanied by newspapermen, left Victoria station at 11:12 and reached Worthing in an hour and 12 minutes, where they were greeted by T. E. Hawkins.

At Brighton a few minutes later Mayor Frank G. Bell and council entertained the party to luncheon. This took place in the banqueting hall of that exotic and exotic structure in Brighton which was a royal palace more than a century ago.

One hundred years ago the first steam coach arrived in Brighton by road from London. Those passengers too, had luncheon. They needed it. The journey had taken them seven hours.

Then there was the once famous Red Rover coach that broke all speed records with horses on the Brighton Road with a time of 4 hours 24 minutes.

Someone else had an idea of taking passengers to Brighton on a monorail propelled by sails, but gave it up.

On September 20, 1841, the first steam train arrived in Brighton on rails.

The electric service now inaugurated has cost about £2,750,000. On week days it will provide 104 trains and 35,120 seats daily between Brighton and London. An increase of at least 4,000 passengers a week over existing traffic is expected.

Has Peculiar Hobby

English Aristocrat Allows Spiders the Run Of His House

The Marquess of Tavistock, only son of the Duke of Bedford has a new hobby—spiders.

The marquis who is a well-known ornithologist, not only studies the spiders but breeds and feeds them and even allows them the run of his house at Penshurst, Sussex.

Miss Muffets need be frightened no longer, the marquis says, for as far as he can ascertain all the spiders are perfectly satisfied with spiders as mythical. They possess considerable intelligence and the males are past masters in tact when it comes to dealing with their women folk, he says. For instance, if Mrs. Spider is peevish her husband will soothe her by pulling and shaking the web—a proceeding which she seems to like.

World's Most Churched City

One To Every Seventeen Of Population In Cholula, Mexico

Recent statistics compiled by the department of that name in Mexico City show that, at least in one phase of society, Jensen and Mecca had yielded the palm of "Holy City" to the town of Cholula, Mexico. Cholula, with a population of 6,200, has 365 churches, or one to every seventeen of the population. Greater London, England, with a population of 7,476,000, has nearly 2,000 churches, or over 3,700 for each church. New York, with a population of over 6,000,000, has fewer than 1,500 even admitting those which are merely hired for one service a week.

The world normally came out of the war; the word technocracy out of the depression and now comes the word communitarian out of vacation.

Governor Pollard of Virginia coined the word, he says, is the compilation of "definition not found in dictionaries, collected from the sayings of the wise and otherwise."

Here are some of them:

"Depression—a period of time in which we have to do without what our parents never had."

"Gentlemen—one can disagree without being disagreeable."

The governor has written a communitarian and he gave 500 copies of it to his friends.

An Afterthought

A neighbor called on the Meektons. After a short talk he rose from his chair.

"Well, well," he said. "I suppose I must be going. I'm on my way to the club."

Meekton rose, too.

"I think I'll go, too—" he said.

"What?" put in Mrs. Meekton, gazing at her husband out of the corner of her eyes.

"Bed!" finished Meekton miserably.

Did Not Need Finding

Bobby did not seem to be paying much attention to the lesson, so his teacher thought she would question him, just to see if he had been listening.

"Now, Bobby Jones!" she cried. "Where are elephants found?"

"Well, miss," said Bobby, "they are big they aren't very often lost!"

Jockey caps are becoming fashionable for women in London.

She looked like a Parisian. But her name had a sound as British as afternoon tea. Over Paris the her Thomas Crompton. There was a raid called it out last week. Mrs. Tarte stepped to the crowd upon her red ribbon of the Legion of Honour. Then came a cry of "Viva la France!" a sweeping back of fifteen years and war slogan more than leaped in the blood.

There were whispers that swelled to cheers of "Alouette!" "The Skylark," for this quiet looking woman receiving the pledge of arms of her Country was Mrs. Richard. One of the foremost members of the French Secret Service, with a record of notable accomplishments during the War years.

Mrs. Richard was an aviator, and that was the service she sought eagerly to join. But the authorities would not hear of it. So she joined the Secret Service and was sent to Spain. Mrs. Richard hadn't had any previous training, but she had her own wit to point the way for her. It was a bristling path. First it was Baron von Kolberg, who was in charge of all German naval intelligence in the Iberian peninsula. Mine. Richard explained to him that she was a French spy, but allowed him to think that she would sell out to the Germans. So for fifteen months she led the Baron along, apparently serving with Britain and Paris. She managed to tell Paris how to send along the German invisible ink, sending along a sample and of the numbers and location of German spies in France communicating with Spain. She sent along, also, samples of highly explosive toys with which it was the pleasure purpose of the Germans to blow up French munition plants. Finally, she told the Allies of Germany's intention to reopen unrestricted submarine warfare and of the fact of the 200 submarines which they had at their disposal.

It must have been a shock to Baron von Kolberg, when one afternoon—after she had riled his sake—he cheerfully informed him that she was about to step out. Such a thought as disloyalty to him had never crossed his mind.

The Baron was later tried for flagrant neglect of duty. But no one knew the female's name until she was cited for decoration.

It seems altogether too bad that there should be an edict again secret service memories. Mrs. Richardson's, that would make good reading.—Winnipeg Free Press.

Greenland Route Best

Termed Safest Way By Air From America To Europe

Fast air travel over a safe route and on regular schedule was the project held out to an audience in Convocation Hall, Toronto, by one whose pioneer investigations have done much to make such an airway possible. The speaker was Dr. W. H. Hobbs, geologist and explorer, of the University of Michigan, who delivered the weekly Royal Canadian Institute lecture, telling what recent expeditions have learned about Greenland. The best air route will use Labrador, Greenland and Iceland as intermediate points. Dr. Hobbs stated: "The longest water jump involves 600 miles." "We can also promise the greatest freedom from winds over Greenland which can always be favorable, and is the closest to great circle sailing of all projected courses."

Winter Is Less Severe

U.S. Weather Charts Show Spring Is Closer Behind

Charts covering a period of 113 years offer an answer to the old query: If winter comes, can spring be far behind?

Spring, the United States weather bureau decided after long study of the charts, is not so far behind winter as it used to be—but there is no telling about the future.

J. B. Kincer, chief of the climatological section of the bureau finds that the most severe winters during the last century occurred about the time of the civil war, that since winters have been a little shorter and less intense.

Shoes are being given for cigarette coupons in England.

Normally about 1,500,000 persons are employed by railroads.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

A hitherto unknown sphinx is reported to have been unearthed near the second pyramid.

A currency note issued and signed by General Gordon during the siege of Khartoum in 1884 was sold in London recently for \$750.

The two-way trade between Canada and United States during 1932 declined by more than \$225,000,000 as compared with the previous year.

Nut culture in the Okanagan Valley is a new industry of much promise and a display from groves of the valley will be shipped to the World's Fair in Regina.

Completing a month's tour of Canada, in the course of which he gave more than 35 addresses before various organizations, mainly on Indian questions, the Marquess of Zetland sailed for home on the "Montcalm."

Convinced the "submarine is the only safe vessel for polar exploration," Sir Hubert Wilkins said he not only is planning a second trip under the Arctic ice, but expects to take his wife along.

Only one state employee—President Albert Lebrun—volunteered a cut in his salary during the recent attempt to balance the French budget. He sent word to the premier to cut his salary to bad times.

Industry, Hon. R. J. Manion, Minister of Railways and Canals, told an audience at Fort William, has no right to regard labor as a pool from which men could be drawn in good times and to which they could be returned in bad times.

A \$100,000 research foundation has been organized to further the cancer serum investigation started by Dr. W. T. Galbraith. A firm of manufacturing chemists is now behind the research. Dr. Galbraith is the chairman of the foundation.

France's New Super Liner

"La Normandie" 800 Large To Go Through Panama Canal

And now France has pveed the pride of the United States again. She has built a great new super-liner, the world's marine giant. That could be passed over, perhaps, but it won't go through the Panama Canal. "La Normandie" is too large to go through the locks. The present lock chambers of the canal are 1,000 feet in length and 110 feet wide. The "Normandie" is 1,020 feet long and has a beam of 117 feet. They talk of building a larger lock at the Panama but present estimates of the third set only call for a length of 1,200 feet with a spread of 125. But even that in the matter of width, will allow only four feet room on each side of a vessel of the "Normandie's" present size, certainly not to give a margin for safe handling of so gigantic a structure. However, present maritime trade and financial conditions are not such as to render likely an increase even of the stated amount in the canal's locking capacity for a considerable time in the future. It will be strange if the Panama Canal is outmoded by greater feats of engineering skill.—Brandon Sun.

After two weeks' trial of traffic signals in London without the yellow caution light, the light has been re-stored as being useful.

Austria's exports jumped nearly 20 per cent in a recent month.



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Oranges From Palestine

Shipments Are Transferred To Halifax In Prime Condition

The second shipment of Jaffa oranges reached Halifax this season arrived on the S.S. City of Oran. The modern facilities with which the vessel is equipped enabled it to load some thousands of cases of these Palestine oranges at Port Said, transporting them in prime condition the entire distance to Halifax.

Already this year the quantity of Jaffa oranges reaching the port of Halifax is considerably in excess of all Canadian importations of this fruit during 1932. The fiscal year ending March 31, 1932, showed a total of 4,792 cases of Jaffa oranges entering Canada. This was the first real development of this trade with Palestine, previous shipments being 170 cases in 1931 and 281 cases in 1929.

Thrive Under Depression

Municipal Pawn Shop In Paris Does Big Business

The Credit Municipal de Paris, which in plain English is the city pawn shop, on a large scale, and known to the French as "My Aunt," is enjoying the unique sensation of being highly satisfied with the much-talked-of depression. The more people there are, the more they tend to borrow, and "Ma Tante" is always more than willing to lend. Statistics communicated recently show that during 1931 the number of objects deposited as securities for loans exceeded by \$3,000 the total for 1930. And 1932's figures are likely to even surpass this.

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By Ruth Rogers



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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

FEBRUARY 19

JESUS TEACHING BY PARABLES —THE GROWTH OF THE KINGDOM

Golden Text: "The earth shall be full of the knowledge of Jehovah, as the waters cover the sea."—Isaiah 11:9.

Lesson: Mark 4:31-34.
Devotional Reading: Psalm 119:38-40.

Explanations and Comments

HISTORICAL Of Disciples, verses 21-25. Unlike us, the people of the Kingdom of God were not like the disciples as He began to explain, to them the parable of the "Sower" (verses 11), and now He goes on to tell them that private cases with their results, though the insight into great truth was greater than that of the multitude theirs was the responsibility of making use of it for the common benefit.

"The lamp brought to be put under the bushel, or under the bed, and not to be put on the stand?" Use of a light to shine, therefore the lamp is not to be hidden, it is to be used. "The lamp is not to be hidden, but to be shared." We are back here at a principle which runs right through the New Testament, namely, that the Gospel is conferred upon us by God is concerned over us for use; not for our own enjoyment or enrichment, but for service. The word of the Gospel is not to be hidden, but to be used. "Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works."

"Heaven doth wish us, as we with lighted torches do. No light is given to us for ourselves, for our virtues. Did not go forth from us, 'twere all alike. As though we had them not."

What you get from listening depends upon the manner in which you listen. If you are indifferent to what is being said, or if you are not interested in the subject, you hear the words you do not "sense" them then you are nothing profited by your hearing. What you get from any service depends upon your attitude toward it. If you bring an attentive ear and a receptive heart, then you receive your reward.

THE PRINCIPLE OF GROWTH Inherent In Spreading The Parable Of The Seed Growing Secretly, verses 26-29. The seed is the Word of God, we learned in the parable immediately preceding these verses. Now we are told of the growth of the seed, of the seed of the Word, of its orderly growth—from the blade, then the ear, then the full corn in the ear—and then of the fruit-bearing power of the earth and of the time of full harvest.

No Good Unless Spread

Value Of Gold Lessened When Supply Tied Up

It rested very much in the hands of the present gold standard and creditor countries whether gold was to become so rare in relation to other commodities that its full use as a backing for currency was a luxury that only one or two could enjoy. In France they were beginning to realize that gold was very much like the large cake the schoolboy mistakenly kept to himself until it went bad on him."

So we came back to the old proverb. "Money, like muck, is no good unless spread." That was true of gold than any other form of money, and gold could only justify its extraordinary intrusion into the world's affairs if it aided—and always aided—interchange of goods. The moment we became frightened of that interchange, the value of gold was a disaster.

British common sense, backed by bitter experience, ought to take us into the councils of the nations better equipped to solve the problems that confronted us, and meanwhile it behooved everyone to try individually to master the problems.—Sir Josiah Stansfeld.

Taking a Holiday

He was standing on the corner paying absolutely no attention to anyone. He shook his head and mumbled to himself, "No, no, no, no, no!" He paid no attention to the crowd that gathered, but just kept saying: "No, no, no!"

An officer shook him by the arm and said: "What's the matter, my friend?"

"Nothing at all," came the reply. "I'm just a 'yes man' taking a day off!"—Railroad Trainman.

Quite Intentional

Insurance man (putting questions to cowboy)—"Ever had any accidents?"

"No," was the reply.

"Never had an accident in your life."

"None. A rattler bit me once though."

"Well, don't you call that an accident?"

"Naw—he hit me on purpose."



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Canada's Wheat Crop

Final Report For 1932 Places Yield At 428,514,000 Bushels

The total production of wheat in Canada for the year 1932 was 428,514,000 bushels according to the final official estimate made by the Canadian Government Bureau of Statistics. This yield was from 27,182,100 acres, or an average production of 15.8 bushels per acre. The 1932 crop was 107,189,000 bushels greater than that of 1931, which totalled 321,325,000 bushels from 26,200,928 acres, or 12.3 bushels per acre. Of the whole of last year's wheat crop the three Prairie Provinces—Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta—accounted for 408,400,000 bushels from 26,395,000 acres.

The 1932 total yield of oats for the Dominion was 391,561,000 bushels from 33,142,400 acres—an average yield of 11.5 bushels per acre. Barley returned an aggregate crop of 80,770,000 bushels from 37,576,600 acres, or 2.15 bushels per acre. Both the oats and barley crops were larger in 1932 than in 1931, and, as in the case of wheat, the Prairie Provinces were the principal producers of oats and barley.

The aggregate value of all Canadian field crops in 1932 is estimated at \$416,586,900, as compared with \$432,223,400 in 1931. The total area under field crops is estimated at 59,733,500 acres, as compared with 58,074,905 acres in the previous year.

Finds Business Profitable

Winnipeg Ice Company Growing Mushrooms In Unused Space

Introduction of the iceless refrigerator put several large ice plants in Winnipeg into the discard. It remained for the Arctic Ice Company to find a new and ingenious use for its space. Today that company has more than 10,000 feet of mushroom beds on its "floors" and is finding this a very profitable business.

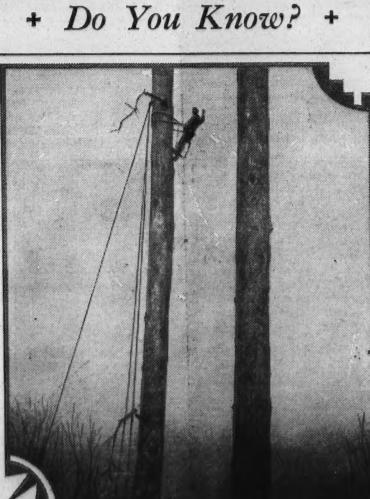
The new industry, so far as Winnipeg is concerned in winter, is "velvet," since mushrooms were an imported luxury until this year. When the plant was started mushrooms were \$1 a pound. Today they are only 50 cents a pound, consumption has increased 400 per cent or more, and the company is not worrying about price since it has solved the problem of production. The claim is advanced by the chain stores which sell these mushrooms, that the market is nowhere near its saturation point.

Famine conditions are reported to prevail in Shensi Province of China.



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THAT the highest paid employee in the lumbering industry on the Pacific coast is the high-rigger whose job it is to climb the tree and cut off the branches as he goes and finally to cut off the top of the tree so that he can get the logs out. The rigger which is later used to move the logs as they are cut. His job requires more nerve and is more hazardous than that of a structural steel worker. The photograph shows a high rigger nearing the top of a giant fir in British Columbia.

C. C. F. MOTION SUBJECTED TO MUCH CRITICISM

Ottawa, Ont.—Resolution of J. E. Woodsworth (Labor, Winnipeg North-Centre), for a co-operative commonwealth came under discussion again in the House of Commons.

The conclusion of the resolution was that "in the opinion of this House, the government should immediately take measures looking to the setting up of a co-operative commonwealth in which all natural resources and the socially-necessary machinery of production will be used in the interests of the people and not for the benefit of the few."

He did not know what the resolution meant so he proposed "to ask the mover 55 questions," remarked J. F. Pouliot, (Liberal, Temiscouata), at the outset of his speech.

That raised a laugh.

"Put them on the order paper," suggested J. D. Chaplin (Conservative, Lincoln).

R. K. Anderson (Conservative, Halton), voiced his opposition to anything that savoured of Communism, and strongly advocated the "back to the land movement." Congratulating the government on what it had done on this subject, Dr. Anderson urged continued action.

Dr. G. D. Stanley (Conservative, Calgary East), said the Co-operative Commonwealth was a "founding left on the doings of Calgary." As a "founding" Calgary had given it hospitality and kind treatment. However, the moment came recently that Calgary found it necessary by a large majority to notify "the founding left on the doorstep" that the Co-operative Commonwealth Federation was no longer welcome and that "it must transplant itself to other parts."

Several clashes occurred between Dr. Stanley and Mr. Woodsworth, the latter denying several statements attributed to him. Dr. Stanley stated that in 1919 Mr. Woodsworth was among the leaders of the One Big Union.

"I deny the truth of that statement," shouted Mr. Woodsworth. "I was not a leader and not even a member."

Dr. Stanley then charged that Mr. Woodsworth had been one of the most outstanding defenders of the One Big Union leaders, and this passed unchallenged.

"We have had these new parties for a long time," remarked Hon. W. R. Motherwell (Lib., Melville). For instance, there was the Drury Government in Ontario. What marvellous things were expected of him, when he was taken from the tall of the plow and put into the parliament of the biggest province in this Dominion! But he and his bold band of his ministers found himself in the pentimento before very long. Is that the new social order that we are to follow? Is that the new day which is about to dawn on us?" Mr. Motherwell asked.

In Saskatchewan, he said, "the Farmer-Labor party has done more harm in pulling down co-operation within the last three or four years than the whole gang of them have done in their lifetime in building it up." He spoke of the building up of the wheat pool in that province. "I think it was the most magnificent co-operative structure that I have known anywhere," he said.

Alberta House Meets

Usual Pomp and Ceremony Marks Opening

Edmonton, Alberta.—With a blustering wind blowing the snow over parliament hill and amid the usual pomp and ceremony Alberta's legislature was opened in stately form and business-like manner, February 9th.

Hon. W. L. Walsh, Lieutenant-Governor of the Province, was escorted into the legislative chamber by officers of the militia and read what proved to be a brief speech from the throne.

Naming its special committee to report on standing committees, the legislature prepared for this phase of its work before the adjournment Thursday afternoon.

News for British Taxpayers

London, Eng.—British taxpayers are breathing more easily. While Neville Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, would make no promises of reduced taxes, he did not think he told an inquisitive House of Commons that increased taxation will be necessary this year.

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Deal Reaching Critical Stage

Barter Scheme With Russia Still Being Discussed

Ottawa, Ont.—Negotiations looking to a barter of Canadian cattle for Russian oil and coal are reaching a critical stage, it is believed here. The syndicate as proposed by the western syndicate headed by G. G. Serkau of Winnipeg, is still afoot but the near future may determine whether or not negotiations will be dropped.

When the syndicate first approached the government with a plan whereby, to ensure the deal going through, Canada would guarantee Russia seven per cent bonds accepted as interim payment for cattle and at the same time guarantee the syndicate against breach of contract on the part of the Soviet government, it was turned down.

Since then sponsors of the idea have learned they may be able to raise sufficient capital to finance the undertaking without government assistance but before putting money into it they want to be sure they will be able to bring the necessary quantity of Russian products into Canada and dispose of them.

Mining Boom

Activity In Mining Stocks Gives Employment To Many Men

Toronto, Ont.—Jobs have been restored to more than 100 former brokerage house employees in Toronto as a result of the recent activity in mining stocks. Started several weeks ago, it was not until this week that brokers' offices were compelled to send home up-to-date figures to telephone operators, accountants, stenographers and telegraph operators.

Mining men state that if the inflow of foreign and Canadian money continues, thousands of field workers will gain employment in exploration work and actual mining.

May Attend Conference

Three British Ministers Provisionally Selected To Go To Washington

London, Eng.—It was understood in Whitehall that a provisional arrangement has been made for Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald and Walter Runciman, president of the Board of Trade and—subject to requirements of the April budget—Chancellor of the Exchequer Neville Chamberlain to go to Washington for debt conversations with the incoming United States administration.

If all three are able to go, the three principal elements in the National government would be represented—National Labor, Liberal and Conservative.

Peace Movement

French League Spokesman Makes Appeal To Nations To Lead the Way

Geneva, Switzerland.—Former Premier Joseph Paul-Boncour closed general debate on the French armament plan with an appeal to European countries to create Europe's own security through regional pacts like the Locarno treaty as an accompaniment to arms reduction.

The French spokesman, in discussing the chances of concluding a universal guarantee of security, made an implied appeal to the United States to take the lead in moves to implement the Briand-Kellogg pact.

Not Guilty Of Libel

Toronto, Ont.—Written verdict of the jury found P. D. Ross, publisher of The Ottawa Journal, not guilty of libelling W. T. R. Preston of Fort Hope, in the \$20,000 damage suit brought by the latter. The verdict also said, "We find that Mr. Preston has had an honorable public career." The jury deliberated two hours before returning a verdict.

Huge Pyramid Of Butter

Toronto, Ont.—A 9,434-pound pyramid of butter, all from the cream of one cow, was on display during the Holstein Friesian Association's annual meeting held here, February 9. At the convention banquet Premier George S. Henry presented a gold watch to the owner of the cow, T. R. Dent, Woodstock.

Would Raise Standards

Ottawa, Ont.—Convinced of the need of a careful survey of the educational standards of the engineers' profession, the annual meeting of the Engineering Institute of Canada opened a special meeting of the council in Montreal to discuss the report of the development committee. The report recommended a drastic raising of the standards.

Ottawa Discusses Wage Cuts

House Takes First Step In \$8,000,000 Payroll Reduction

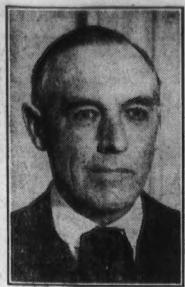
Ottawa, Ont.—The government has taken the first step to cut \$8,000,000 from the national payroll. Resolutions were introduced, prefacing submission of bills cutting 10 per cent on salaries and emoluments of civil servants, and the salaries of civil servants, is proposed to lay an additional 10 per cent increase to against judges, Royal Canadian Mounted Police and army and navy officers.

For three hours the House discussed the resolution, which, in effect extends for another year the salary cuts already in effect. The debate was side-tracked to make way for departmental estimates.

Five members rose from opposition benches to oppose the salary slash—J. S. Woodsforth, leader of the Cooperative Commonwealth Federation; Dr. R. E. Chevrel, Ottawa; Dr. J. A. Duff, Antigonish-Guysborough, and J. P. Pouliot, Temiscouata.

Hon. E. N. Rhodes, Minister of Finance, piloted the resolution in the House.

THE FIRST SEA LORD



Admiral Sir Ernest Chatfield, photographed in the Admiralty on his first day after succeeding Admiral Sir Frederick Field as First British Sea Lord.

Use Canadian Ports

Senate Railway Committee Approves Policy Of Use Of Canadian Route

Ottawa, Ont.—The senate railway committee set the stamp of its approval on the policy of moving Canadian goods for export over Canadian railways to Canadian seaports. More than a mere declaration of principle, the senate committee, by inserting an amendment in the present railway bill, gave a specific direction to the trustees of the Canadian National Railways that, unless a shipper indicates otherwise, goods consigned within Canada for carriage by the Canadian National and intended for export must be so exported out of Canadian ports.

The brilliant flight of Squadron Leader O. R. Gayford and Flight Lieutenant G. R. Nicoletti brought the long-distance non-stop flight record to Great Britain alongside the altitude and speed records that other crack airmen of the Royal Air Force had won. British became the first nation in history to hold all three major air records.

Fresh-shaven, showing little sign of fatigue, they quietly explained they would have gone further, attempting to reach Cape Town without a stop, if they had had any fuel left.

Cape Town is 6,198 miles from Cranwell aerodrome, England, where the flyers took off.

A perfect landing marked the end of the roaring trip over English countryside, the channel, France and the Mediterranean, the desert, jungle and hills of Africa. The officers had been in the air for 57 hours and 28 minutes.

When they came down, Gayford and Nicoletti cheerfully greeted the handful of officials who were around, personally attended to their machine, pushing it to a place of safety, and then went to a hotel where they were soon fast asleep.

Gayford and Nicoletti travelled 328 miles farther than the former long-distance fliers, Russell Boardman and John Polando of the United States, who flew from the United States to Turkey in 1931.

READY TO TAKE THE "ROAD BACK"



With the Nazi forces, of which his son is a prominent member, riding the crest of the wave in Germany, following the appointment of Adolf Hitler as Chancellor, the former Kaiser Wilhelm is reported to be preparing to leave his exile at Doorn, Holland, to return to Germany. Above are two pictures of the ex-Emperor. The main photo shows Wilhelm as he is today, leading the life of a country gentleman at his Doorn castle. The picture in the oval shows the former monarch when he was the "All-Highest" German's Emperor and war lord.

Toronto Bank Robbery

Two Armed Men Escape With Large Sum Of Money

Toronto, Ont.—Two armed men walked into the Bank of Toronto branch at Queen and University Streets here and a few moments later had made their escape with between \$8,000 and \$8,500 in cash.

It was the second bank robbery in the city this week. A few days ago, two men robbed the Royal Bank at Wellesley and Church Streets, one escaping with \$3,200 and a man alleged to be the other being shot in the shoulder after a gun battle with a busy street with a policeman.

Two clerks and the manager were in the east end bank today when the bandits struck. All three employees were locked in the vault.

Lower Bank Interest

Cut Bound To Come Shortly According To Officials

Toronto, Ont.—Interest rates will be cut in the near future, says the Toronto Telegram. They represent heads of banking and trust corporations informed the Telegram. They base their forecast on the firm opinion interest rates on deposits in government savings will be reduced. J. A. McLeod, general manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia and president of the Canadian Bankers' Association, has intimated the banks are waiting for a lead from the government.

Four Aviators Killed

Members Of Royal Air Force Crash During Practice Flight

Salisbury, Eng.—Four men of the Royal Air Force were killed when their bombing plane crashed during a practice flight and burst into flames.

A fifth man aboard escaped with burns.

Those killed were: Flying Officer T. P. Pilcher; Sergeant A. R. Allen; Corporal Cyril Smith; Second Class Aircraftmen E. G. Scholl, Leading Aircraftman J. W. B. Hipwell escaped from the crash with only minor burns.

Parliament had not the authority to enact such a provision in relation to the Canadian Pacific, but it had the power to do so for the government-owned road, said Senator Meighen.

Prisoners To Face Trial
Kingston, Ont.—Twenty-five prisoners from Portsmith penitentiary will appear in public court as a result of the rioting of last October, the Canadian Press was informed officially. More than 300 other prisoners, however, will be punished for their share in the disturbances, most of them coming before prison court and not having to face criminal charges.

Tide Of Progress With Canada
Sudbury, Ont.—The tide of progress is with Canada. This country has many things the world wants first, bring it out of its backwardness," said Carl C. Conway, president of Continental Can. Limited, one of a party of United States financiers inspecting Ontario's northern mineral belt, said at the conclusion of the tour.

Regina, Sask.—During the past years farmers of western Canada have realized they must get into diversified farming, states H. O. Powell, general manager of the Dominion Agricultural Credits Company, Limited. Many have taken to livestock, he adds, and changed their crops from all wheat to wheat and other grain.

Included in the activities of the company, Mr. Powell cites the purchase and distribution of 4,858 sheep and 1,885 head of cattle during the past year. The sheep are all purchased in the prairie provinces and excess of animals have been shipped in districts where sheep were never before seen. The total cost of the sheep distributed in the prairie provinces is \$31,151 and for cattle, \$31,755.

Suffolk, Oxford, Shropshire and Hampshire sheep are the breeds taken up by the farmers and the cattle men seek Hereford and Aberdeen-Angus animals of the beef type.

Not a single case of failure has been reported to the company, during the past year. Mr. Powell believed this record is due to the supervision the company provides through its corps of experts, who are kept busy practically all the time.

Big development is expected in central Saskatchewan, northeast Manitoba, in the Swan River District, also in the districts between Claresholm and Edmonton and from Edmonton west to the Rockies.

One of the problems in districts where feed is scarce has been partly solved by using wheat and wheat flour considered one of the worst weeds in the country—Russian thistle. At the present time Mr. Powell is busy preparing a circular on the use of Russian thistle as feed. He has secured much information and is inviting farmers, who have been using this weed to write to him experience and forward them to the company.

Mr. Powell expressed much satisfaction at what had been accomplished by the Agricultural Credit Company to date and believed that despite all talk of depression the farmers were reconstructing their methods and within a short time would be out of trouble.

CAPT. MOLLISON SPANS ATLANTIC IN RECORD TIME

Natal, Brazil.—Captain J. A. Mollison, scored another signal victory over fatigue, mileage and time when he brought his little four-cylinder plane down in time for supper after a 7,500-mile hop across the South Atlantic Ocean which was the last leg of a 4,800-mile journey from England.

The popular British aviator concluded this, his latest great flight, in good health and high spirits.

"She's a sweet little ship," he said with a careening glance at the "Heart's Content," just after it had finished the trans-Atlantic flight from Thies, Senegal, on the west coast of Africa in roughly 18 hours. His total elapsed time from Lympne aerodrome, England, which he left Monday morning, was three days and 10 hours.

He was accorded an official welcome and the populace were warm in their welcome for the intrepid British flyer.

Within one year Mollison has crossed the Atlantic twice. The first time it was from Ireland to Canada last August, and the flight from Africa to Brazil makes his second hop.

Mrs. Mollison, better known as Amy Johnson, flew with her husband for a short distance when he hopped off near London on the first leg. She saw him on his way across the English Channel, then returned to London alone.

The great British aviator landed here three days and 10 hours after taking off from Lympne, England—just within his estimated schedule of three and one-half days.

The flight, done in stages from England to Senegal, on the west coast of Africa, from where Mollison today made the ocean flight, was the latest addition to a wonderful list of flights in which Mollison has girdled the far corners of the earth.

Awards For Spring Show

\$3,600 In Cash Prizes For Annual Event In Regina

Regina, Sask.—The sum of \$3,600 will constitute the cash prize list for the forthcoming spring show held under the direction of the Regina Exhibition Association.

Announcement to this effect has been made. The show will be held at the exhibition grounds March 21 to 24 inclusive.

Publication of the prize list will be made shortly.

This year's spring show will be confined to exhibitors resident in Saskatchewan.

Receives New Appointment

Winnipeg Man Now Chief Secretary To Premier Bennett

Ottawa, Ont.—Appointment of R. K. "Rod" Finlayson, of Winnipeg, as chief secretary to the Prime Minister, is a public recognition of his services since coming to Ottawa. Finlayson has become the right hand of the leader of the government. He does not function as a private secretary. One could frequent Mr. Bennett's suite of offices indefinitely and never see him. He does not meet the public, but works in a little office tucked out of the way in the East block—20 paces from his chief.

Ships Wheat To China

Buenos Aires, Argentina.—Twenty-two thousand tons of Argentine wheat have been sold to Shanghai millers and will be shipped before the end of the month. This follows a recent wheat shipment to Japan, causing grain prices here to hope that oriental consumption may help dispose of the Argentine surplus. The shipment to Shanghai is equivalent to 726,000 bushels.

Calgary May Issue Script

Calgary, Alberta.—A total of \$92,835 worth of script will be issued by Calgary if the city council accepts the recommendation of the sub-committee of the special script committee.

Alderman J. W. Russell, chairman of the committee, said this recommendation would be made shortly to the council.

Unclaimed Bank Balances

Ottawa, Ont.—The report of unclaimed bank balances tabled in the House of Commons by Hon. E. N. Rhodes, Minister of Finance, reveals that there is \$1,860,196.75 of unclaimed money in the banks throughout Canada.

The Child Problem

Great Care Should Be Exercised In Administering Punishment

Punishment of a child should not be lightly undertaken. Punishment is ineffective unless the child understands why it is administered; it is self-defeating if it breeds disrespect in the child's mind; its corrective purpose is nullified if it is customarily disproportionate to the offence. Moreover, what is a proper punishment for one child is entirely improper, and hence morally indefensible, for another. Some children are so constituted physically, nervous and mentally that they never should be "isolated"; even if that word be used to mean the least humiliating form which the severity it describes can take others should not be deprived of favorite playthings; others should not be compelled to go without an article of food of which they are particularly fond.

Each child is a problem by itself. The ideal treatment of a child is that which by punishment or reward, praise or censure, awakens its understanding. The worst treatment is that which brings down on a child suffering, mental or physical, for innocent errors, for misunderstandings due to ignorance, for stupidity, bad temper or short-sightedness of parents and others in authority over it and suffering deliberately inflicted the purpose of which the child does not comprehend.—New York Sun.

Second Largest Gold Field

Mines Of Northern Ontario Are the Second Largest in the World

Gold produced in the year 1932 from the mines in Northern Ontario was valued at \$46,773,154, an increase of \$4,035,878 over the value in 1931. At the end of last year 19 mines were reporting production compared with 15 at the beginning of 1932. The mines milled 5,065,015 tons of ore in the year under review, of which 3,350,089 tons are credited to the Porcupine Camp, 1,799,961 tons to the Kirkland Lake mines and 1,703,630 tons to mines in the Northwestern district. In value of production the Kirkland Lake mines led with an aggregate output valued at \$23,682,362. The Porcupine mines came next with production worth \$21,465,847, followed by the mines in the Northwestern field with an output value of \$1,625,345.

In December 1932 the production of Ontario gold mines totalled \$4,135,836, which was the second highest monthly output on record. On two other occasions, namely May and June, 1932, the gold miners in the province recorded production in excess of four million dollars in a single month, the May output being \$4,079,320 and that for June, \$4,179,045. The December output represented a gain of \$201,552 over the November production of \$3,934,183.

The gold mines in Ontario are the principal source of supply of the Canadian production of the precious metal and the second most valuable gold-producing area in the world, being exceeded only by the Rand mines in the Transvaal, South Africa.

The Canning Industry

Exports Of Canned Tomatoes and Fruits Heavy Last Year

Canned tomatoes exported from Canada in 1932 amounted to 13,238,203 pounds, an increase of 6,822,813 pounds over the 1931 exports. This substantial increase was due to shipment of over 10,500,000 pounds to the United States where a tomato shortage was reported. In 1931 Canada exported 13,914 pounds only to that country. Exports of Canadian canned fruit, particularly pears, increased from 5,329,302 pounds in 1931 to 19,286,295 pounds in 1932. This increase was mainly due to larger shipments to Great Britain which amounted in 1932 to 9,329,780 pounds as compared with 4,911,678 pounds in 1931.

Ship Ice To Churchill

Train Carries Several Carloads To Northern Port To Be In Dining Cars Next Summer

"Carrying ice to Churchill" has supplanted the phrase "coals to New castle" on the Hudson Bay Railway.

"The Muskeg Limited" arrived at Churchill over the snow-covered line with several carloads of ice from The Pas. It is to be used next summer in dining cars. It was found more economical to ship the ice from the southern terminal than to send men to Churchill to cut it.

Half a teaspoonful of baking soda added to boiling frosting will keep it from running.

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SCENES FROM THE AUTOMOBILE STRIKE FRONT



A scene outside the plant of the Briggs Body Manufacturing Company, at Detroit, Mich., as hundreds of strikers picketed the plant to prevent strike-breaking. The factory is running with a skeleton force of new workers in an attempt to supply the Ford Company with enough bodies to enable resumption of production of new cars which was stopped by the Briggs strike. A large force of police is on hand to quell possible disorders. Inset is Salvatore Sussi, a would-be strike-breaker, who was slugged as he was going to the Briggs plant to apply for work in defiance of the pickets, being aided by police.

The Lightest Wood

Balsa Wood Is Much Lighter Than Cork

Our attention has been drawn to the number of industries in which balsa wood is now used. It enters into the manufacture of aircraft, boats and trucks, and is also utilized for sound proofing, heat insulation, and other purposes. The main characteristic of the wood is its extreme lightness, this being due to the openness of the grain and the presence of empty cells; the average weight per cubic foot is from 7 to 8 lbs., which compares with a weight for cork of from 11 lbs. to 13 lbs. The name is derived from the Spanish word balsa, meaning a raft, for when the Spanish conquerors first came to South America, they found the Indians using this very light wood for their rafts; incidentally, it is still used for the same purpose. Messrs. The Balsa Wood Company, Limited, Africa House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2, inform us that while several varieties of the timber are widely distributed in central and northern South America, the best variety comes from Ecuador and possesses the botanical name, *Ochroma Lagopus*. The growth of the balsa tree is extremely rapid, a tree 50 feet in height and 3 feet in diameter being obtained in from 4 to 5 years. Immediately after felling, the timber is full of sap, and is heavily compressed by the dry wood. The bark is stripped off and the logs sawn up into planks, ranging from 2 to 15 feet in length, 6 inches to 15 inches in width, and 1 inch to 4 inches in thickness; it is exported in this condition. As previously indicated, the wood enters into the manufacture of plywood for aircraft, boats, trucks, and also packing cases for all types of highly-polished and delicate objects, as the silky texture of the timber does not scratch smooth surfaces. It is also used in connection with the sound-proofing of rooms and electric motors and in insulation work, particularly on vehicles conveying solid carbon dioxide and other chilling materials.—From Engineering.

List Of Immortals

Dr. Banting and Dr. Best Are In Line For Nomination

Dr. Frederick G. Banting and Dr. C. H. Best, of Toronto, co-discoverers of insulin as a treatment for diabetes, are in line for nomination to a list of "immortals" who, in the opinion of Dr. Davis S. Muzzey of Columbia University, will figure in history, written even a half century from now.

In the list Dr. Muzzey, professor of American history at Columbia, named 48 men and one woman as "immortals"—James Jerome Hill, Canadian-born railroad pioneer, among them.

Hill, named an "immortal" for his public works, was born a farm boy near Guelph, Ont., in 1838.

Visits Scene Of Old Job

When John Masefield, poet laureate of England, visited New York recently he looked over the site of an old saloon where he worked as "bar boy" many years ago. The old bar was located at Christopher and Washington Sts., Greenwich Village section.

Practically all large banks in Germany are now under government control.

Practically all telephone equipment used in Britain now is British made.

How Steel Is Tested

Engineers Determine Bending Stress By Use Of Soap Bubble

By mapping the contour of a thin soap film over the cut-out model of a steel section, an engineer or sky-scrapers beam, engineers can determine quickly just how much twisting or bending stress will affect the original of the model. The apparatus, as described in Popular Mechanics by Dr. P. Allerton Cushman, of the college of engineering at the University of Michigan, consists of a square box containing a soap solution. A brass sheet sealed with a portion of the metal cut out in copy of the cross section of the article to be tested. Topping the box is a glass plate, inserted with a depth gauge.

A film of soap solution is drawn across the cut-out design, and water is forced into the lower part of the box, causing the confined air beneath the plate to push up the film and with the depth gauge the varying level of the film is measured from the glass top.

Many readings are taken, curves are plotted between points, and a contour map results, which locates stress points easily interpreted by the designer of metal work.

Earth's Core Is Rigid

According To Theory Of University Of California Geologist

The earth loses the famous molten mass long supposed to constitute its centre. At least it does so in the new theory of Prof. W. Y. Miller, geologist of the University of California, who declares the core is probably a solid as rigid as steel.

The old notion about the molten centre, Professor Miller explains by stating that when a break occurs in the earth's crust the pressure at depth pulls the rock apart and sends it out as a lava.

The new theory may start a war among the geologists.—Christian Science Monitor.

Old Logging Centre Loses Its Railroad

Craigville On Canadian Border Has Become "Ghost Town"

"Ghost" towns, mere relics of the days when Minnesota's northland was one big pine forest, dot the big woods, but Craigville is first among the last remnants of the once thriving industry.

Its frame shacks, sagging and cracking in the stinging north wind, the mirth, laughter and song of the gay old frontier days seem to echo from the wooded background. Craigville today has just absorbed the meannest blow.

The 60-mile rail connection linking the old logging centre with the outside world since 1889 has been removed.

Built just south of the Canadian border, Craigville in the early eighties was the last outpost of civilization when lumber magnates were hacking through vast stretches of tall timber to gold and fame.

Here was a genuine frontier life centring around a heterogeneous assortment of humanity—French-Canadian trappers of the old Hudson Bay Company, gawky axmen, swaggering teamsters who snapped wicked whites over six-team logging rigs, professional gamblers, petty crooks, bulging bartenders and other inhabitants that made the place the mecca of the backwoods folk.

Then the forests dwindled; Craigville withered and now the snow on Main St., once aglow with the light of kerosene lamps, sailing through frosted windows, is transported under the feet of moose and deer, crossing from the highlands back of Craigville to the swamp beyond.

Few Immigrants

Total For The Calendar Year Given As 20,591

A continued falling off in immigration to Canada in 1932 brought the total for the calendar year down to 20,591 compared with 27,530 the previous year. United States supplied the bulk of these, 13,709, while 3,327 came from the British Isles. Northern European races made up 909 of the remainder and all other races 2,616.

Ontario got the largest share of immigrants with a total of 9,312. Of western provinces British Columbia received 1,950, Alberta, 1,692, Saskatchewan 971 and Manitoba 757.

Too Speedy For Test

New Aeroplane Cannot Do Stuff In Low Altitudes

Anyone possessing a large building, say three miles square, and hermetically sealed to permit low air density, will be welcomed with open arms by aeronautic experts of California Institute of Technology.

These experts have designed an airplane capable of a speed of 1,000 miles an hour—but they cannot test it on a large scale in the heavy air of low altitudes.

The airplane, Dr. Klein said, is correct theoretically. Its speed of 1,000 miles an hour, more than twice as fast as present planes, would fly at an altitude of between 15 and 25 miles in the rarified atmosphere far above the clouds, fog and prevailing winds.

This super-plane, as proposed by Dr. Klein, would be propelled by the burning of gasoline in long, open-ended tubes. An engine of great power would first be necessary to move the ship at great speeds before the rocket-like apparatus would begin to function.

As top speeds were attained through the use of internal combustion engines, expulsion of gases from the propellers would increase the flying speed tremendously, Dr. Klein believes.

Each tube would take the form of a long tunnel open at both ends, extending the length of the fuselage. The central channel of the tubes would be much larger than the ends, Dr. Klein explained. The air, at high speeds, would rush into the tubes with such force that the compression would heat the air, causing it to expand.

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Jets of burning gasoline in the central portions of the tube would cause additional expansion, causing the air to burst from the vent with terrific force.

Theoretically, Dr. Klein says, the exhaust from these tubes would more than equal the air blast from a dozen propellers.

Man's Unselfish Friend

Dog Always Faithful and True Under All Circumstances

The absolutely unselfish friend a man may have in this selfish world, the one that never proves ungrateful or treacherous, is the dog. A man's dog stands by him in prosperity or poverty, in health or in sickness. He will kiss the hand that has no food to offer. He will lick the sores that come in encounter with the roughness of the world. He will sleep on the cold ground when the wintry winds blow and the snow drives fiercer, if only he may be near his master's side. He guards the sleep of pauper master as if he were a prince.

When all other friends desert, he remains. When riches take wings and reputation falls to pieces, he is as constant in his love as the sun in its journey through the heavens. If fortune drives the master forth an outcast in the world, friendless and homeless, the dog asks no higher privilege than that of accompanying him. And when the last scene of all comes, and death takes his master in its embrace and the body is laid away in the cold ground, no matter if all other friends pursue their way, there, by his graveside, will the dog be found faithful and true, even unto death.—Senator West, U.S.A.

Shipments Of B.C. Lumber

Coast Lumber Is Shipped To All Parts Of The World

Lumber mills in the Province of British Columbia shipped a total of 446,889,543 feet board measure by water to all destinations in 1932, of which 251,302,835 board feet were brought by countries in the British Empire. Australia purchased 125,551,386 feet from British Columbia, or nearly three times as much as in 1931 and 61.05 per cent of total imports from the Pacific Coast. The British Isles purchased approximately 100,000,000 feet during the year from British Columbia, or 71.42 per cent of its total purchases from this region as compared with 52.03 per cent in 1931.

Other British Empire purchasers in 1932 included: New Zealand, 1,000,000 board feet; South Africa, 5,600,000; the British West Indies, 8,200,000; South Sea Islands, 2,000,000; and British India, 500,000 board feet.

Sales to China totalled 53,341,172 board feet and to Japan 60,031,785 feet.

Fire Loss Was Southwest

Rosetown, 50 miles southwest of Saskatoon, is putting itself on the back. Its 1932 fire loss totalled \$61,25. Fire Chief John McDougald reported at the council's final meeting. Inspection work was carried on throughout the year and citizens instructed in matter of fire prevention.

Technocracy On The Farm

Does Not Furnish Market For Produce Or Lift Mortgage

Although labor is available now at lower cost than for years, and movement is under way to assist farmers to utilize it, experts are still devoting time and ingenuity to still greater mechanization of agriculture. New developments recently announced by manufacturers include:

A sugar beet topper that picks the beets out of the ground, grabs the entire beet plant and carries it to the chopping knives.

A new type of tractor that weighs little more than a draft horse, but has the sustained pulling power of four draft horses. It costs no more than the average small motorcar, does belt work and supplies power for binders or other machines hitched to it.

A machine which brushes, grades and packages 1,000 bushels of potatoes a day, being somewhat similar to a recently invented machine which brushes the fuzz from peaches.

A "combine milker" with which the milk is never exposed to the air from the time it leaves the cow until it enters the bottle.

A new balloon-type of tractor tire which is said to increase the rate of plowing by 27 per cent, and to make a saving of 23 per cent, in fuel costs.

All steel barns which are shipped in parts from the factory and erected on the farm in units designed for 24 or 32 cows or any other standard sized herd or flock.

Thus, the mechanical experts have all figured out how a farmer can cut labor costs and increase production at the same time. So far, however, none of these engineering wizards has invented a machine which will enable the farmer to find a market for surplus crops on hand, or a machine that will lift a mortgage. Until somebody invents machines of that nature, it seems that the others might just as well wait.—Woodstock Sentinel-Review.

Height, Depth and Distance

Have Been Conquered By Piccard, Amelia Earhart, and Lindbergh

Prof. Auguste Piccard, explorer of the stratosphere, dines with Mrs. Amelia Earhart Putnam and Col. Charles A. Lindbergh. He tells his fellow aerial trail-blazers he planned to go down long before he planned to go up. His idea is to explore ocean depths from a glass-windowed gondola and a balloon inflated with oil instead of helium. Balloons would carry him down, throwing it out when the oil was gone. Among the talk these three, who have solved practical problems of height, depth and distance. Countless generations knew man's world as having only length and breadth. One generation has thrilled with the thought that it has thickness too.—Christian Science Monitor.

British Get the Business

Trade Is Pursued and Captured All Over the World

Marvellous as the British pursue trade all over the world, photographs show a great crane putting an entire 100-ton locomotive onto a ship at the Manchester dock. It is one of eight engines "British built" on the way to China.

Yesterday you read that the first concession granted by Turkey to anybody allows Britain to build a ferry to carry freight passenger cars and automobiles across the Bosphorus, from Istanbul to Silekji, establishing continuous connections between Asiatic and European markets.

Our American "big business" has had things a little too easy and in some cases has preferred to make money by printing more stock, instead of going out and looking for more business.—By Arthur Brisbane.

Tip For Employees

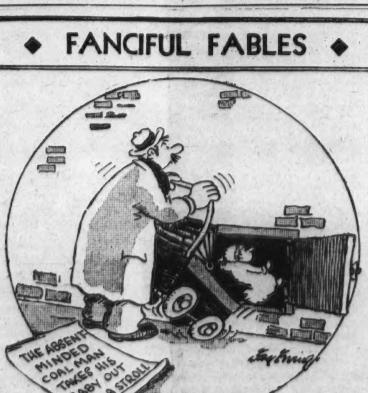
Chicago Typists Have Work Checked By Hidden Camera

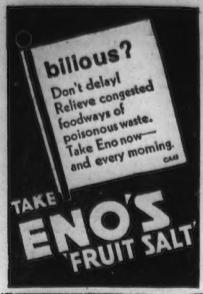
Typewriter work is being done by some typists in an office in Chicago. Hidden cameras have been installed for an experiment to take moving pictures of unsuspecting workers, and when the pictures are shown in slow motion any slackness can be detected. The cameras are so well hidden that no typist can be sure whether his employer has decided to make the experiment or not.

Argentina exported more oats and flaxseed in 1932 than in the preceding year.

Traffic lights have been installed in more than 200 towns in Great Britain,

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CHAPTER V.—Continued.

"And capture those men and get the credit? Not Haskell? He's too wise. Getting those bandits cornered with him... saving his son's life, he doesn't really care what ever he gets them or not. That Inconnu patrol is dead. It was our best hope, but now it can't be either. I could stir up trouble for him, I could bring on an investigation; but that would take months. It'd be too late then; those bandits will be gone."

She repeated, brokenly: "Gone, gone—yes, it'll be too late then, Alan, that means—means Dad will be found guilty—and sent to prison—or worse . . ."

For the second time in the years he had known her, Joyce broke down and cried. It hurt Alan as few things in his life had ever done. As he felt her sobbing against him, as he thought of this tragedy looming over her, his last hesitancy about his plan was swept away. With those bandits safe in the watery wilderness of the Thal-Azzah, Dave MacMillan would be convicted; he would be sent up for life. It would break Joyce, her spirited courage, her wild-born nature. When he thought of the terrible stigma upon a girl so innocent and brave, he swore silently:

"I'll never see her brought down to that! I'll get those men, I'll bring the truth into court!"

He was surprised really that he was starting on a long trail, a trial never to be retraced. He was committing himself to a staggering self-sacrifice. But he had to traverse that path; in honor or he could do nothing else.

He rose abruptly, brushing away his last trace of hesitancy; and gave Joyce his hand to rise.

"Joyce, there's something I've got to do now. I've got to go. You mustn't stay here. Come." He took her arm, and as they went down the slope, he asked: "I want to see you again before I—some final arrangements with you. . . . Won't you be down at the wharf in half an hour?"

Wondering at his odd tones, his stern purpose manner, Joyce promised him.

At Mrs. Drummond's house he left her and started out along the terrace to Haskell's cabin.

Across the desk he demanded, with no preliminaries:

"I want to buy out. Tonight! Here! Now!"

Haskell's eyes narrowed in suspicion. He could hardly believe it. He knew how deeply Baker was rooted in his work and friendship and life in the northern country; and he could scarcely conceive of a man deliberately throwing away a long brilliant police record at one irredeemable step.

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But there was no doubting Baker's words, no doubt of his grim manner. Baker was demanding to pay out—to get out for good. As he studied the sergeant, Haskell drew back warily. Baker might be laying some trap for him.

He refused, "I'm too short-handed here; it is now."

"I don't give a d—n about that. I'm buying out."

Haskell's confidence was returning as he saw that Alan intended no physical violence. "If you buy out, your record ends. You'll have to start all over."

"I'm buying out for good. There'll be no starting over again. I'm getting out of the Mounted, out of the country!"

Haskell debated swiftly. He was not averse to Baker cutting his own head off; and he saw now there was no trap laid for him. But there were other things to be considered. His sober judgment, casting back over the last nine months, recalled the score of times Baker had corrected bad mistakes of his and kept the post running smoothly. Wisdom whispered to him that he needed the man, needed him desperately. And Elizabeth Spaulding . . . Was she going away with Baker? Was Baker taking her with him?

If she went his act is busting the sergeant would prove a boomerang against himself. He tried to temper his thoughts.

"I haven't the authority to let you. You'll have to make out application and wait for permission from headquarters."

"That's the rule for close-in detachments. Down north here where a communication would take several months, it's understood that an officer can accept a buy out on his own recognition."

"But it's not the official rule. Under the circumstances I don't choose to accept your papers."

"You will choose! I'll make you choose! You've busted me, all right; you've saddled the blame and shame of that patrol on me; you've mouthed your lie and you've got a stool pigeon there to back you up. But I can bring on an investigation just the same. There's things happened last winter that you can't get out of. Williamson is coming down here next month. He hasn't got any more time for you now. I'll tell him you won't help your standing much."

Haskell lit a cigarette to hide his nervousness. He asked, "Where are you going if you get out of service?"

"That's not your affair, thank God! I'm leaving here. Tonight. That's all you need to know."

Haskell started a little. Tonight—no boat coming past—it meant Baker was going by himself! Meant Elizabeth both would not go with him but would stay here at Endurance!

Very thoughtful, he looked away, debating Baker's motives, his reasons for this precipitate move, were dark and puzzling. But he saw no way in which they could possibly harm him.

Hardscock, an experienced northern man, would still be available, a reliable veteran, to run to, especially if it involved the hours of darkness and savagery. Hardscock would be easy to manage, too. Since Elizabeth was going to stay here, at least temporarily, why shouldn't he let Baker go? The farther away he was, the better!

The more he studied the situation, the more it seemed too good to be true that Baker was deliberately cutting his head off, buying out, getting out of the country, leaving Elizabeth here alone, killing any possibility of the investigation that he secretly dreaded.

"I'll consent on one condition to your buying out. Otherwise you'll have to wait for official and regular approval."

"What's the condition?"

"There seems," Haskell said dryly, "to be a desire to look out for yourself in the eyes." "To be different in opinion between us about the responsibility of this Arooska patrol. If you'll sign a statement to the effect that you had complete charge of the detail and split your party on your initiative—if you'll do that, you're given cause enough to his nature."

"And you're going to stand for that?" Her voice rose, sharp, snapping. "You're going to be his orderly, a constable, disgraced, bossed around? I'd think that any man would—would—"

She checked herself as she saw the government property laid out on the bed and noticed that Alan was in civilian clothes.

He said quietly "You were a bit hasty. I didn't stand for it. I bought out. I'm out of the Mounted. Out for good!"

Elizabeth gasped. For moments she stared at him, incredulous.

She did not know just why he had taken this drastic step, but vaguely she guessed he had had some fierce clash with Haskell. It did not matter, the circumstances. He was free of this ninety-a-month rut, this backwoods calling. There had always been a doubt in her mind whether Alan, when the great test came would actually tear himself away from the Mounted. She had expected a fight that would embitter him against her. But now he was out; he would surely take that Victoria offer; next winter she would be living in Victoria!

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New Astronomer Royal

Dr. Spencer Jones Occupies One Of Highest Scientific Posts

Dr. H. Spencer Jones' appointment as astronomer royal at the Royal Observatory, Greenwich, is the culmination of a career that has had in it the romance of devoted studentship and determined effort in an uphill climb that began very modestly as a student at a London County Council secondary school. His appointment to this position, one of the highest scientific posts in the world, has been sanctioned by the King. Dr. Jones, who is a bachelor of science, and 42 years old, succeeds Sir Frank Dyson, who has been astronomer royal since 1910.

Thirty years ago Dr. Spencer Jones was learning simple arithmetic at Portobello Rd. School, London. Then he went to Latymer Upper School, Hammersmith, and after a brilliant career there proceeded to Jesus College, Cambridge, where he was awarded in 1912 the Isaac Newton studentship for research in astronomy and physical optics.

In his early 20's he entered Greenwich Observatory, where in 1913 he became chief assistant in succession to Sir Arthur Eddington. He has had charge of the observatory at the since 1923.

"During his ten years at Greenwich, on completion of his studies, Dr. Andrew Crommelin, who retired from the observatory five years ago, states: 'Dr. Jones displayed extraordinary energy and enthusiasm for his work. He studied the movement of the moon—for which purpose Greenwich Observatory was originally founded as an aid to navigators—and has contributed valuable papers on the subject since his appointment to Cambridge in 1923.'

One of the chief responsibilities of the new astronomer royal will be to determine 'Greenwich time,' which is the standard for the whole world, and is broadcast throughout the world twice daily from Daventry.

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Advertising brings results.

A Shifting Coastline

Many Changes Have Taken Place On New England Coast

Scientists claim to discovered that the New England coast at one time was two hundred miles north Europe than now and that Cape Cod was far out to sea. If the earth has been several hundred million years old no doubt many changes have taken place. The rocks at Hopewell, in Albert County, New Brunswick, no doubt are at one time a part of the rocky river shore washed away by the tides, and some day may fall, and disappear. Likewise the famous mountains in Yarmouthland and Albert Counties appear to have been formed by sediment deposited by the tides of centuries, and perhaps thousands of years.

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Careless pedestrians are no doubt, as asserted, the cause of some automobile accidents; but it is to be remembered that it is pretty hard even for a careful pedestrian to look four ways at once at a street intersection.

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The light of stars, the light of dawn, What comfort from each gleam is drawn,

And in earth's vague, dim revelry Time and the gulf a gift make known.

More hearts so welcome every year They must have kinship with light's gleam,

And so rejoice, when through the gloom blossoms flame into bloom!

Jump Self Parachutes

The first parachute jump ever to be made in Canada caused the purchase of twelve parachutes from an American company. The jump was made there from a plane flying above the Madrid military field, 8,000 feet above sea level, the highest in the world, next to the field at La Paz, Bolivia.

Soviet Russia is increasing its petroleum shipments into China.

Miss Ann Adam bakes her famous Muffins with Magic Baking Powder



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1/4 cup sugar
1/4 cup flour
1/4 cup milk
1/4 cup mashed banana
3 teaspoons Magic
1/4 cup melted butter
1/4 cup water

Mix bran with the sifted dry ingredients. Make a well in the centre and pour in the milk and well-beaten egg. With a wooden spoon, mix well, then stir, blend these ingredients and stir in the blossoms. Heat oil greased muffin tins and fill them. Bake in a moderate oven for 15 to 20 minutes. A few chopped dates, lightly coated with some of the measured flour, may be added.

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Illiteracy In Japan

Country Has About Same Percentage As Britain and Germany

"Speak unto the children of Israel, that they go forward."—Exodus 14:15.

"No man having put his hand to the plough, and looking back is fit for the kingdom of God."—Luke 9:62.

Be truthful, be steadfast, whatever betide thee,

Only one thing do thou ask of the Lord, Grace to go forward wherever He guideth thee,

Simply believing the truth of His word.—Amen.

The soul ceases to weary itself with planning and foreseeing, giving itself up to God's holy spirit within, and to the teaching of His providence without. He is not forever fretting as to his progress or looking back to see how far he is getting on, rather he goes quietly and steadily forward, and makes all the more progress because it is unconscious. So he never gets troubled and discouraged; if he falls he humbles himself, but gets up at once, and goes on with renewed earnestness.—Jean Nicolas Groux.

Times Have Changed

Klondyke Prospectors Use 'Plane Instead of Dog Sled'

The death of Klondyke Boy, Hardscock, at the age of 75, recalls the boom days that this hardy prospector started in the North country. When Klondyke Boy first invaded the Yukon he travelled by dog-sled and on foot, but he lived to see the day when a prospector hops into his plane and skims over the forest to where the pot of gold rests at the foot of the rainbow. Most of the pioneers of Klondyke days have reached the end of the trail, but the quest for precious minerals is carried on by younger men of similar hopes and the same tireless energy.—Toronto Globe.

THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By Alice Michelle

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Of all the joys a house can boast, Measures mostly I think the lamps mean.

Lights are the loveliest of things

And shadows creep across the room,

When suddenly the soft lights bloom!

In orange, purple, rose and gold

The petals of the lamp are bright,

Each a flower, a gift made known.

That heats the burst of dying day;

Each ray a beacon, burning bright

Against the threat of coming night!

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Lady Curlers Visit Didsbury

Two rinks from the Crossfield Ladies' Curling Club visited Didsbury on Saturday last, and got an even break in the four games played, each rink winning and losing a game.

Personnel of rinks: Mrs. M. English, Mrs. Wm. Wood, Mrs. A. Stevens, Mrs. R. T. Amery, skip; Mrs. T. Tredaway, Mrs. S. H. McClelland, Mrs. A. Heywood, Mrs. W. H. Miller, skip.

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OBITUARY

MRS. MARGARET McCASKILL

This week it is our sad duty to chronicle the demise of Margaret, relict of the late George H. McCaskill, who passed away on Wednesday night, at the home of her son, William, at the age of eighty-seven years, four months and four days. She was born at Bennie's Corners, Ont., and resided in Ontario until three years ago when she came to Crossfield. Her husband pre-deceased her 17 years ago.

She leaves to mourn her loss six sons and two daughters, namely, William, Jack, Donald, George, Hall, Crossfield, and Roy of Vancouver, Mrs. C. Lamont, Saskatoon, and Mrs. R. Thacker of Ottawa, Ont.

Funeral Services

Funeral services will be held at the home on Saturday. February 18, at two o'clock and the interment made in the Crossfield cemetery.

Brownlee Turns Down Tariff Job

Definite information has come to hand that Hon. J. E. Brownlee, Premier of Alberta has been offered a position on the Tariff Board and has declined. This information was not made public by the Premier but we feel the public are entitled to the facts.

Premier Bennett wants the best possible on this Board and is willing to pay. The salary was set at \$12,000 per year for 10 years with a \$6000 retiring allowance for life at the end of that time. Considering the Premier is now receiving around \$9000.00 after the general wage cut, together with bushels of grief, we feel a lot of honor is due Mr. Brownlee for staying with his people.

This is the same time that Mr. Brownlee has turned down alluring offers. A private organization last year offered him a very attractive proposition and also the Canadian Wheat Pool held a \$20,000.00 offer in front of him for two years.

It will also be remembered that H. W. Wood years ago was offered a cabinet position in the Dominion Government by Premier R. L. Borden, and also the Premiership of the Province in 1921 but refused both to stay with his \$20,000.00 President's job. In addition to this while holding the dual position as chairman of the Canadian Wheat Pool and President of the U. F. A. he, for five years, refused to take a salary from the U. F. A.

We also have definite knowledge that Robert Gardner, M. P. was strongly pressed to accept the chairmanship of the Grain Commission which carries a salary of \$10,000 for ten years, but he also refused.

These are examples we seldom hear about in public life and we feel quite sure if we had more like them our "Ship of State" would not be floundering as it is today. This proves that there are still some men who put personal gain second and not first.

Get your writing paper, envelopes, etc. at the Chronicle Stationery Store.

Local News

Have you paid your subscription to the Chronicle?

Robt. Ure is laid up with an attack of the grippe.

Keep in mind the Board of Trade luncheon on Monday evening.

Miles Pike is laid up with an attack of quinsy.

Wm. Blackadder who has been laid up with the flu is able to be up and around again.

Lt. Col. W. E. Tidball, V. D., of Carstairs was a visitor in town on Wednesday.

Mrs. J. Belshaw entertained the Bridge Club at her home on Tuesday evening last. Honors going to Mrs. D. McFadyen.

Jimmie McClelland, local newsie for the Calgary Herald, spent the weekend at the Banff Winter Carnival as the guest of the Herald.

J. H. Harrison and J. G. Riddell who have been to Vancouver with four carloads of fat cattle, returned home on Friday.

Forget the depression and enjoy a night of laughs by taking the family to the comedy "The Man Who Made Good."

Mrs. McCool, sr. was receiving the congratulations of her many friends on Monday on the occasion of her sixty-ninth year.

The Misses Florence Cruickshank, Beatrice Annon, Lillian Johnson and Mary Ann Gazeley were visitors in Calgary on Wednesday.

A very successful Valentine tea was held at the home of Mrs. S. H. McClelland on Tuesday afternoon. The sum of \$23.75 was realized by the Guido.

June Patmore has recovered sufficiently from her recent illness to be brought home on Friday last and is now convalescing at Mrs. Collins' Nursing home.

The mile of road east of town is in bad condition again following the recent storm. Jack Massie put his car out of commission entirely on Sunday while trying to get thru a snow drift near the grave yard.

An auction sale of 30 head of good young Horses, well broken, and fat, weighing from 1350 to 1500 lbs. will be held at the Crossfield Stock Yards on March 9th. K. O. Sykes owner, L. Farr, auctioneer.

Gladys Gilchrist spent the week end at the home of Mrs. C. Wight, Carstairs!

Miss Mabel Young of Macleod is visiting friends in town this week.

The regular monthly meeting of the Floral Local U.F.W.A. was held at the home of Mrs. O. E. Jones on Wednesday afternoon.

A Court Whist party will be held in the Oneil school on Friday evening February 17 at 8 o'clock. Good prizes and a good time assured. Everyone invited.

Chas. Fox and George McLeod are attending the sessions of the Grand Lodge I.O.O.F. in Calgary this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Wight, Mrs. Smith and Miss Winnie Drummond of Carstairs were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gilchrist on Sunday.

Robert Brown residing on the Glen McNichol place, -9 miles of Crossfield, is disposing of his entire farm equipment by auction on Wed., March 8.

Ed. Hehr who has been farming the Bolack place, had an auction sale of livestock, machinery, furniture, etc. on Monday. L. Farr was the auctioneer and good prices were secured.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Adams were convenors for the five hundred party held in the Oneil school on Friday last. Prize winners were: Gent's first "Shorty" Jones; ladies first, Miss Johanna Butterman. The usual bounteous lunch was served.

The local senior hockey team has had a busy week. On Saturday they defeated Carstairs by a score of 8-3; playing at Airdrie on Monday night they were defeated by a score of 3-0; on Wednesday night they lost out to the Calgary Creecants in a great game. The score was 8-7.

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